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COMMISSIONER

Date: July 20, 2022 **SFA Name: Crockett County** **SFA #: 170**
System DUNS Number: 043647718 **Indirect Cost Rate: 3.59%**
Period of Performance: July 1, 2022-September 30, 2022 **FAIN#: 225TN330L1603**
Period of Performance: October 1, 2022-June 1, 2023 **FAIN#: Not available at this time.**

Federal Granting Agency: United States Department of Agriculture

This is not a Research & Development Grant.

Total Amount Awarded to the State: \$ 4,687,875 **Grant Award Date: June 1, 2021**
Total Amount Awarded to the State: \$ 4,800,064 **Grant Award Date: June 23, 2022**
Total Amount Awarded to the SFA: \$6,200

Dear Mr. Pratt,

The State of Tennessee is awarding federal funds from the USDA for the Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program (FFVP) (CFDA # 10.582). Funds are to be used to purchase, prepare, and distribute fresh fruits and vegetables at no charge to the students in the school. The program should be structured so that maximum benefits go to the children. Each selected site has the option to spend up to ten percent (10%) of the total allotment for allowable administrative costs. The School Food Authority (SFA) agrees to implement the program fully by spending ninety percent (90%) of funds, to the maximum extent possible, in a manner consistent with the policies and procedures established by USDA and the Tennessee Department of Education.

We are pleased to announce that ***Friendship Elementary School*** has been selected to receive up to **\$6,200** for the 2022-23 school year to operate the Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program. This school will have approximately eighteen percent (18%) of the total amount available to spend between July 1 and Sept. 30, 2022. Funds remaining from that eighteen percent (18%) after Sept. 30 will be lost; they will not roll over to Oct. 1. The remaining eighty-two percent (82%) of your funds must be spent between Oct. 1, 2022 and June 30, 2023. All participating School Food Authorities (SFAs) will be contacted to take part in a mandatory webinar start-up training. All books and records relating to the award shall be made available for inspection and audit by state and federal auditors as required by the state and federal regulations. If for some reason you are unable to participate in this program or no longer want to participate, please let us know as soon as possible so we can reallocate the funds. This will not affect your ability to reapply next year.

If you have any questions, please contact our office at (800) 354-3663. We look forward to working with you in creating ways to help students develop lifelong, healthy eating habits.

Sincerely,

Bill Byford, Assistant Commissioner of District Operations

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